





## AN OCEAN TRAGEDY.

Supposed Loss of the Disabled Steamship Strathnevis.

204 PEOPLE ABOARD THE VESSEL.

Drifted for Sixty Days on the Pacific, Helpless and Short of Provisions. Picked Up by the Miowera 450 Miles from Victoria—Lost Again in a Gale.

The steamship Miowera, just arrived in port and a week overdue, brings news of thrilling interest. She left Victoria, B.C., on the evening of the 16th ult., with a full cargo and the usual passenger list, making a splendid run until the morning of the 18th, in north latitude 49.59, west longitude 132.21, when a steamer was sighted dead ahead, flying signals of distress and asking for assistance. She turned out to be the missing steamship Strathnevis, which had sailed from Victoria on the 13th of October, and when 1700 miles out had broken her propeller shaft on the 20th. From that date until she sighted the Miowera she had been drifting at the mercy of the winds and waves. She had on board 165 Chinese and Japanese as passengers, and a crew of 39 men. The cargo, about 1300 tons, consisted of flour and canned salmon. The ship's supplies had run out, and the cargo had to be broached to provide provisions. The captain, after signalling for assistance, sent his mate on board. The poor fellow was so overcome by the prospects of relief that it was some time before he could explain to Capt. Stott the situation of the vessel, and ask him to tow the Strathnevis into port. A supply of beef, mutton, rice, tobacco and other necessities was sent across to the distressed vessel. A wire cable was passed to the Miowera, and the course of the latter was changed, heading back to Victoria with the Strathnevis in tow.

## THE PASSENGERS CONSULTED.

Before deciding to tow the Strathnevis into port, Captain Stott called a meeting of the saloon passengers, and explained to them the desperate condition of the Strathnevis, helpless and drifting on a lee shore, sure to go on the rocks inside of a week if she was left to herself. He asked for an expression of opinion. The passengers were from England, Australia, the United States and Canada, and to a man they declared that it was the plain duty of the captain to do his best to rescue the distressed steamer. For the particulars of the incidents that followed until the Strathnevis was lost in the gale, this paper is indebted to Mr. Holland, of Ottawa, one of the passengers on the Miowera, extracts from a record kept by him in the form of a letter to a friend:

**NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN.**  
Somewhere about 300 miles South-west of Victoria, Dec. 19, 1895.  
We are having an adventure sure enough. I wrote you yesterday that we had picked up the missing steamer "Strathnevis" after she had been floating round between here and Japan for sixty days. It took several hours before we got her in tow, and then heavy weather set in—rain, fog and wind. However we had the wind and current in our favor, and everything went swimmingly until after midnight, when the big wire hawser parted, and the "Miowera" had to lie to until daylight. In the meantime the wind increased to a gale, and all day the seas have been running "mountain high." We made several ineffectual efforts to get another line out but failed, losing one large manilla hawser in the attempt. We are now sailing round the drifting derelict to keep her in company. I doubt very much if we can do anything more until the wind and sea go down. There are 203 souls on board the "Strathnevis" of whom 39 are crew. There are a few European passengers, the rest are Chinese and Japs. The chief mate told one of our officers that they had to

**DISARM THE CHINESE AND JAPS** for fear of a mutiny, though what they'd do with the vessel if they took possession of it is a mystery. She is as helpless as a tub, and though a new vessel—some eighteen months old, she looks like an old tramp from the effects of the severe storms through which she has passed. It is hard to say when we shall strike Victoria again. The "Miowera" is bound by self-interest as well as the cause of humanity to stick to the distressed vessel until she is safe in port. It will take us a couple of days to reveal and provision this ship, and our trip to Sydney will be very greatly lengthened in consequence. The passengers are taking the incident very philosophically. It is an event in lifetime, coming across a vessel cast away at sea that has not been in sight of land for 61 days. We are back into cold weather, and the passengers, especially the Australians, feel that worse than anything else. The vessel is comfortable. The only thing we miss is a properly heated saloon. The ladies suffer more than the men in that respect, for the smoking room has a steam register in it. We are well fed and otherwise well cared for. Of course we have not got the elegance of the Atlantic liners or the great D. & O. and Oriental lines; but we have all the essentials for comfort. As a pioneer line it is away ahead of any other, at the same stage of its existence, that now runs to Australia, and when it is once established as a safe and reliable passenger route so as to command the bulk of the passenger traffic from Liverpool to the Orient, there is no Liverpool enough at the back of this

line to make it equal to anything afloat. I will keep you posted on our progress as often as I can get a chance to write. Love to all.

DECEMBER 20, 1895.

We are still drifting and are now about 200 miles from land, a little south of the Columbia river. All day yesterday was spent in ineffectual efforts to pass a tow-line to the "Strathnevis." When darkness came on the work had to be abandoned, and our captain sent up signals to inform the derelict that we would stand by until morning. All night the "Miowera" was running after the drifting vessel, keeping her in sight, and this morning the work of passing a line was resumed. The sea is still heavy and it was only about noon that we succeeded in picking up a buoy thrown over from the Strathnevis with a line attached. After hours of work the cable from the Strathnevis came in sight, and just as we were all congratulating ourselves on succeeding,

**SNAP WENT THE LINE AND AWAY WENT THE CABLE,**

and we were just in the position we were thirty-six hours ago. The anxiety of Captain Stott and his officers can be imagined. As a last resource a crew of six picked hands, in charge of chief mate (all with life belts strapped round them) a powerful man, were lowered in a small boat under the lee of the Miowera and they managed to secure a small line thrown over to them by the Strathnevis. By means of it we have at length passed the wire cable, and after forty-two hours of delay, just as night is falling, we are under way again with the Strathnevis following in our wake. I do not see any Chinamen on her deck. Some think that they are batten under hatches; but others who know the Chinese character best allege that they are below of their own free will, sleeping, or playing "fan tan," awaiting death or deliverance, as fate may send it. Captain Stott's course may be challenged as to whether he has done right or not in taking upon himself the responsibility in delaying Her Majesty's mails and involving the Miowera's owners in damages for breach of contract. On the other hand there are 204 souls, a new vessel and cargo drifting rapidly on a lee shore to their inevitable destruction within four days. The passengers all back him up in the course he has taken, though it involves loss and inconvenience to them all. For my part I do not think there is a civilized community in the world that would not endorse the captain's action. If he takes the vessel in safely it will be one of the most unprecedented events of the kind in the history of navigation on the Pacific, and will be a big advertisement for the Canadian Australian line. I think we will pass Cape Flattery tomorrow night, and will land in Victoria on Sunday.

GREAT SCOTT! ANOTHER BREAK!!

5 P. M., 20TH.  
Our cable parted again half an hour after we had started and everybody was in despair. Fortunately, as the sun declined, the wind and sea went down. A boat was lowered, and before it became too dark to see we had a ten-inch Manila hawser and another wire cable fast to the tow. We are now steaming along at the rate of about seven knots per hour, and if we do not strike a gale off Cape Flattery (the entrance to the Straits of Fuca) we shall reach Victoria by Sunday evening. I can imagine the disappointment of the several tugs and steamers that are out north looking for the missing vessel when they return and find her safe in port. I learn that we were 320 miles from Victoria when we made our last start. A track chart of our steamer for the last forty-eight hours looks something like a circle with turns and twists. Every thing is now running smoothly and I am going to bed.

Sunday night, Dec. 21, 1895.  
We were anticipating a safe arrival in port this evening, but our hopes have been blasted by a heavy gale, with rain, that is making the vessel roll and pitch in a way that renders it exceedingly difficult to keep one's seat and course. Captain Stott has changed our route and we are now steaming out to sea, off Cape Flattery, in the teeth of the gale. His object is to get away as far from land as possible for fear of our hawsers breaking. Were they to snap now nothing could prevent the Strathnevis from going on the rocks before she could be picked up again. If this gale continues it is hard to say how long we may have to beat off this coast before we can attempt to enter the Straits of Fuca. The passengers are taking the affair as philosophically as possible. For my part I am now going to bed. If the ship founders in the gale I may as well be drowned comfortably in my bunk as anywhere else.

**MONDAY A. M., DEC. 22, 1895.**  
Thirty miles from a lee shore, a rock bound coast, and parted from our tow. The Strathnevis and her passengers and crew are doomed. When I closed my letter last night, I went on deck to have a look at the weather. It was like peering into a dark cellar. The sky was ink black, the rain pouring in torrents, and the wind and sea rising. The lights of the Strathnevis showed dimly a cable length astern, sometimes towering away above us, and sometimes away below, and I turned in feeling that there was disaster ahead. Between midnight and 1 a. m. the wind was blowing a gale, and the 10 inch manilla hawser snapped like a thread. We still held our tow with the six-inch wire cable, but inside of half an hour a great sea hit the Strathnevis, the cable parted, and in almost as short a time as it takes me to describe it she was carried away out of sight on the wings of the gale. A shudder went through the officers and crew. They felt it was a hopeless case. In the meantime we lay to all night, the sea rolling clean over our deck. One monster wave cleaved off the porch that sheltered the captain's cabin door, broke in the skylights and deluged the alley way between the staterooms. Our trunks were clashing each other round our stateroom, but I jumped from my berth and secured them from possible damage by piling them in behind a coal chute. At daylight we passed a three-masted schooner scudding before the wind under bare poles—a small top-sail to give her steerage way being the only dangerous position. She is in a very

bad way. This is the worst weather the Miowera has ever experienced in these waters. We have had breakfast, the day is clearing, and I hear that we are going to make another search for the missing steamer. I have just got back to my seat, having been shot under my berth by a terrific lurch of the vessel. By the noise in the cook's galley I fancy that there has been a grand smash of the crockery. The all-absorbing topic of conversation amongst the passengers is the possibility of catching up with the Strathnevis and taking off the passengers and crew before she goes on the rocks—which is, to say the least, a very forlorn hope unless the wind and sea go down, for no small boat could possibly approach one of these steamers without being smashed to splinters against the hull.

## THE FATES ARE AGAINST US.

All forenoon there has been one continuous succession of heavy squalls accompanied by rain and sometimes snow. We are now steaming out to sea again, and will after an hour work our way up the coast towards Cape Flattery. The captain and officers have abandoned all hope that the missing vessel is still afloat, or if afloat that she can be saved. Even should we come across her now, we could not take her crew off, the sea is so wild.

## A DESPERATE CONDITION.

Tuesday Morning.—It was some time after we had altered our course yesterday before I knew the reason why we are now on our course for Honolulu instead of Victoria. When the captain set the vessel's course for Cape Flattery he was met with such tremendous seas that there was danger of the Miowera going under. Tons of water washed over the decks, going through the broken skylights down into the engine room, where the fires were in danger of being extinguished. In addition to that the vessel was making such leeway that, even though she weathered the gale, there was every danger of running her on the rocks at Cape Flattery. There was no alternative left but to head the Miowera out to sea again under slow steam, which was done accordingly when the first opportunity to change our course safely occurred. It was an immediate relief to the vessel. The horrible jacking of the propeller was eased, though we were driving in the teeth of a wind that whipped the tops off the waves and drove them against the upper deck with a noise like thunder. I remained in the smoking room until about 9.30 p. m., leaning to risk a trip to the saloon door. Finally I ventured, and as I turned the corner of the saloon a blast of wind caught me that

**LIFTED ME CLEAN OFF MY FEET,** and was hurling me bodily out against the bulwarks when, throwing out my hand, I gripped the rail of the bridge stairs and was saved from broken ribs, or being possibly carried overboard. The Strathnevis sent up a rocket after we parted from her, which was the last seen of her, about 4 a. m. Many of the passengers believe that she foundered before daylight. Now that we come to think of it soberly, if Captain Stott erred at all in judgment it was in standing by the drifting vessel so long. Had anything happened to our steering gear, or had the propeller been injured in its mad racing, our own doom was sealed as well as that of the Strathnevis. Even under slow steam there was danger, and it was only when the captain saw no abatement of the gale, and that further assistance was not within the power of man to render, he reluctantly headed the Miowera for Honolulu.

## SAD TRAGEDY.

It is a sad tragedy, one that I earnestly hope I shall never witness again. Had it been possible to run into Victoria and left word there that the Strathnevis should be looked for on the rocks away below Cape Flattery, without having to lie off the coast until the gale went down, Capt. Stott would have done so. But to wait for twenty-four hours before steaming into port would have been utterly useless—like going for a doctor after the patient had died. While the chances are nineteen to twenty that the Strathnevis has either foundered or gone to pieces on the rocks, there is the twentieth chance that she may have been blown behind some small island or into some bay where she could anchor and send her boats ashore.

## CAPTAIN STOTT PRAISED.

Before reaching Honolulu, a meeting of the passengers of the Miowera was held for the purpose of placing on record their approval of the efforts made by Captain Stott and his crew to rescue the Strathnevis, and to express their sympathy with them that their efforts were unavailing. On Monday evening, therefore, at dinner, Captain Stott was the recipient of the following address:

"To Captain Stott,  
"R. M. S. Miowera:  
"The passengers by your steamer from Vancouver, B. C., to Sydney, N. S. W., on her December trip, feel it their bounden duty to testify to the courageous and heroic endeavors of yourself, officers and crew to save the ill-fated Strathnevis.  
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"In conclusion they join with you in what must ever be most painful regrets that such noble and self-sacrificing efforts should have been of no avail."  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Howat, \_\_\_\_\_ Committee, \_\_\_\_\_ LANSINGTON, Secretary.

December, 1895.  
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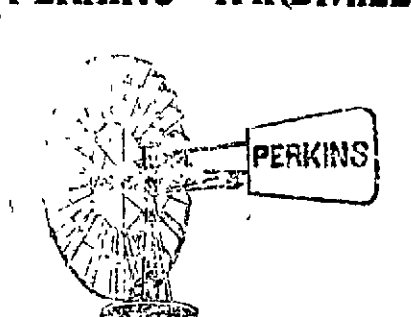
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## THE END OF THE CHAPTER.

With the New Year the last political prisoner in Hawaii was released. It was a dramatic scene at the jail, the last act in what was nearly a very bloody tragedy. Those of the prisoners who think, and they do think, realize now what might have been had they been successful. We feel assured that they realize that they had started a ball rolling which they themselves shudder over. Major Seward, in his remarks to the executive officers, showed the spirit of a gallant foe. He said he had done wrong and fully appreciated the kindness of the Government in remitting the sentences and that the Government would lose nothing by what they had done.

This is the end of the episode. It was a bad business. It is finished. Once a thing is over it should be buried. What these gentlemen, together with the other released prisoners, have to do, is to unite one and all in advancing the prosperity of the country. A gallant foe is worthy of all confidence. The man who has paid his price, knows what the price is, and is not likely to run his head against a brick wall again.

Let bygones be bygones. We wish all prosperity and peace to those who have been released, and hope in the future to find them working alongside of us as good citizens and friends—and some of them were our friends in years past.

FINIS.

## THE HOG: NOT AN AGRICULTURAL STUDY.

The hog delights to wallow in the mire. To its tough hide the mess of liquid filth adds but a pleasant coolness. The garbage heap, also, is a delight to the pig. The refuse and offal of kitchen, refectory and stable possesses a great attraction to the hoggish palate, and the half-rotten and unsavory morsels are gobbled up with great gusto. This is the nature of the beast. We may shrink from contact, but we acknowledge that the ways of hogs are thus ordered for them by nature, and we cannot expect them to do otherwise.

It must be the same with the human hog. He comes along to these Islands, we will say, sees beautiful skies, the most luxuriant of vegetation, the most exquisite of tropic scenery, and soon gets to know the people, and finds that they are kindly, generous, not much better, not much worse than people elsewhere. Human nature is, after all, very much the same in New England, in California, in Russia, in England, in Australia, in Hawaii. But this is far too clean for the human hog. Says he: "Adjective your skies! What care I for greenery? What care I for kindness, generosity and good qualities? What care I that you have pure homes, or conduct yourselves as decent citizens of the world? No, No; Show me the garbage heap. Haven't you some nice, rank, ill-smelling cesspool in which I can wallow to my heart's content?" So the human hog on the principle of "like to like" finds his own kind and enjoys himself. We really have no objection to his doing so. If he likes to hear all the scandals and ill-smelling tales concocted—some out of whole cloth, some on the flimsiest of evidence—let him get hold of his muck, chew it over and enjoy it. If he finds it a joy to trace down every frail woman, every weak man, let him enjoy his salacious feast of rotting, festering garbage. But—and here is the point, which is so often missed—he has no right to flaunt his filth in print, to send it into any home of the Republic and pollute the air with his

poisonous emanations. This kind of thing has been done here, "ad nauseam" and it is time that it should be stopped. The Gazette Company have definitely shown that they will not allow any such stuff to go through their presses. The edition of the Hawaiian, written and edited by Julian Hayne, would have been a disgrace to the office that issued it—a disgrace to Julian Hayne it cannot be, for he is beneath disgrace. The owners of the Gazette Publishing Company did a public benefit when they burned the edition and whatever the pecuniary loss may have been to themselves, they have shown that no consideration of mere gain would influence them to allow such stuff to go abroad. That Julian Hayne may get his stuff published elsewhere is very probable. There are those who will print and do print all kinds of disreputable matter. Julian Hayne will have to go after that kind of printer in the future. We must really offer an apology to the quadruped whose name heads this article. After all it would be an absolute shame to compare him with Julian Hayne.

HAWAII is just at the edge of the cyclone region; we have often experienced here what is called the "tail end" of one of these storms. During the seventies we had a visitation somewhat similar to what occurred at the Park on Monday. The storm of that night was a short, but severe, kona, blowing from the southwest. No great damage was done so far as can be ascertained, except in Kapiolani Park, near Diamond Head. The gale struck the hill and seems to have formed a whirlwind, which lasted for two or three moments only, tearing up a hundred or more large trees, and spreading their trunks and branches in every direction. A few dwellings were injured and fences blown down, but this seems to have been the extent of the injury done. Kona storms are often more or less destructive in some localities, but they rarely leave the widespread devastation which accompany the hurricanes and cyclones of the South Pacific and China seas, from which we are fortunately exempt.

KATE FIELD says: "I don't find angels on this earth." There are even those who doubt whether they will be found anywhere. If we take Milton for a guide there were certain so-called "angels" who did not behave in quite an angelic manner. But Miss Field's remark was eminently to the point. As she puts it, the Government party is not composed of angels. The Royalist adherents are not. We would take it to mean that, like all intelligent outsiders, she sees the best of the show. She can put her finger upon this sore spot in our ranks, upon that in those of the enemy. We hope much from Miss Kate Field's letters. She evidently means to be as fair as human attributes allow any of us to be, and she certainly is willing to undergo labor and boredom to intelligently understand the questions she writes upon.

A SIGNIFICANT sign of the times in England is the election of so-called noblemen—it is an objectionable phrase—to the position of mayors of cities. No less than eleven have been elected this last November. It shows that men with large interests find it necessary to take a personal part in the conduct of civic affairs and shows further that men of their class can be popular with the city voters. Among those recently elected are the historic names of the Dukes of Norfolk and Sutherland, Earls of Derby, Warwick, Dudley and Lonsdale and the Marquis of Zetland.

THURM'S ANNUAL, for which we give thanks, is an admirable work of reference. For twenty-two years it has been the repository of condensed statistical information that is of the very highest value. From its modest inception to the present time, we have watched its career and progress with interest.

THE resignation of Mr. G. H. Paris, tendered some months ago, has been finally accepted by the Hawaiian Gazette Company and his place as business manager will in future be filled by Mr. C. G. Ballentyne. Mr. Ballentyne is well known in the community and has familiarized himself with most of the principal points on the islands. Mr. Ballentyne we are sure will prove a courteous and businesslike manager.

A GERMAN paper, the Frankfurter Zeitung, has been giving forth a startling piece of information relative to the succession to the English throne. It is generally thought that sons have precedence of daughters in the heirship to the throne. But it is said that the late historian Froude discovered that the laws make no difference between sons and daughters, but confine themselves to the expression "children." If this is really the case the German Emperor might make a claim through his mother. She was born in 1840, the Prince of Wales in 1841. The paper goes on to say that the Emperor is "convinced that a union of the two empires would be of advantage not only to Great Britain and Germany, but to the whole world." Upon this theory the Frankfurter Zeitung furnishes a key to a remark which the Emperor made some while ago, when he said: "The German army and the German navy will one day cross the ocean." The paper further adds that when Queen Victoria dies, England may experience some startling surprises. A war of succession is not likely to occur at this end of the world's history. People are far too republican at heart to throw away money and lives for the sake of seating a gorgeous puppet on a throne. The days of Kings and Queens are drawing to a close, and the change will come by uniting nations into federations, not by putting forward the claims of one hereditary ruler before the claims of another. The bit of information is interesting, however, because it shows the versatile Emperor in yet another light, that of a probable "claimant." He certainly aspires to play many parts.

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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

W. R. FARRINGTON, EDITOR.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1896.

THE appointment of Mr Alfred Carter to the Circuit Court seems to have been definitely decided upon. Mr Perry will probably go to the Circuit Court also, and Judge Whiting to the Supreme bench. Mr Carter and Mr Perry are Hawaiian born and educated in part in this country, and we are glad to see their advancement.

THE carpenter bee has done thousands of dollars worth of damage to the houses all over the islands. Any one who will supply some method for getting rid of the pest or at least diminishing its numbers will confer a boon on the community. Several suggestions have been made but the present one which Mr Marsden now puts forward is simple and from the specimens of defective "Carpenters" submitted to us, eminently efficacious. Mr Marsden's account of "how to do it," appears in another column.

THE runaway tram on Nuuanu Avenue, New Year's day, should act as a warning to the Tramway Company. It was fortunate that no lives were lost, but we shall not get through all accidents as easily. The cars should be provided with independent brakes. The brakes in use go to the same bar. As long as only the chain of one brake gives way the other brake will act, and an accident can be avoided, but if the bar gives way, then both brakes are useless—this was what occurred on New Year's day. It would also be well that the brakes should be examined by a government inspector. It is a matter of life and limb to our citizens and they should be protected as efficiently as possible. Our remarks are not intended to carp at the Tramway Company, but it is clearly the duty of the press to issue a word of warning and perhaps save a very serious accident in the future.

## THE Y. M. C. A.

In an unobtrusive way the Young Men's Christian Association is doing a great deal of good work. The objective point of the secretary seems to be to give healthy amusement to those who are willing to have it, without regard to creed or religious faith. The membership of the institution is 419, but a number avail themselves of its advantages who are not members.

The reading room is naturally a great attraction, there are 1023 books now, and the number is constantly increasing. Then there is a good selection of papers and magazines, which enables the readers to keep up with the current literature of the day. The fact that the average daily attendance in the reading room is 163, shows that the advantages are appreciated.

The educational classes are a comparatively new departure, and the two which have been commenced count 93 pupils. This is the kind of work done in Mechanic Institutes in England. Many a young man has laid the foundation of his future success in life by attending such classes.

But the gymnasium is probably the greatest attraction. It is a fine building, well equipped and thoroughly adapted to its purpose. The class attendance for the month of November was 1665, showing conclusively that it fills a want in the community and that the community responds. The cost of erecting the gymnasium and making necessary alterations in the building was \$18,500 of this \$3000 remain to be paid. The debt is a small one and will be easily wiped out.

In another direction the Y. M. C. A. proposes to cater to healthy amusement. Commencing January 4th, a course of eight lectures has been arranged to run through the months of January and February.

The subjects are all secular and quite varied, ranging from California, through Tennyson to ancient, mediæval and modern surgery. This is a decided step in the right direction. We need the mental stimulus of the lecture. The platform disseminates ideas, it makes men and women think of other things besides mere business and private pleasures or griefs. In this, as in all that it does, the Y. M. C. A. is fulfilling its mission and is vindicating its right to public support. Of course there is a religious side, but it is upon the secular side that we have dwelt. There it certainly works upon the broad platform of doing good and elevating all who take advantage of the opportunity offered. Honolulu would be hard put to it if it had to do without its Y. M. C. A. organization, and especially its hard working secretary.

THE list of new books for the library which we publish today shows how well the committee on selection work. They cater to the tastes of the young and the old, the scientific and the omnivorous reader of fiction. The names of the authors are a good guide. There is evidently a literary feast before a good many of us.

We are requested by the Foreign Office to correct a slight error in the report of the presentation of the diplomatic corps. The name of Mons. Vizzavona, Acting Consul and Commissioner for the French Republic, was placed before that of Mr. H. Shimamura, H. I. J. M.'s Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General.

## MORTUARY REPORT.

The total number of deaths reported for the month of December was 61, distributed as follows:

Under 1 year	11	From 30 to 40	16
From 1 to 5	10	From 40 to 50	6
From 5 to 10	2	From 50 to 60	3
From 10 to 20	1	From 60 to 70	3
From 20 to 30	9	Over 70	4
Males	43	Females	18
Hawaiians	23	Great Britain...	5
Chinese	16	United States	4
Portuguese	5	Other nationalities	3
Japanese	3		
Total	61		
Unattended	14		
Non-Residents	2		

## COMPARATIVE MONTHLY MORTALITY

Dec. 1891	54	Dec. 1894	75
Dec. 1892	58	Dec. 1895	63
Dec. 1893	55		

## CAUSE OF DEATH

Aneurism	1	Heart disease	4
Brouchitis	3	Influenza	2
Beriberi	2	Insanition	1
Consumption	8	Internal injuries	1
Convulsions	1	Opium	1
Cancer	1	Old age	5
Concussion of brain	1	Premature birth	1
Dementia	1	Paralysis	1
Dropsy	3	Pneumonia	6
Debility	4	Stricture	1
Epileptia	1	Tonsillitis	2
Fever	3	Unknown	1
Fever, Typhoid	1	Womb trouble	1
Gun shot wound	1	Whooping Cough	5
Hemorrhage	2		

## DEATHS BY WARDS

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	Out
Deaths	10	8	19	12	16	0
Annual death rate per 1000 for month	27.86					
Hawaiians	33.14					
Asiatics	24.00					
All other nationalities	25.50					

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Agent Board of Health

## CHINESE NEW YEAR.

Preparations Being Made for a Big Day at Waianae.

Arrangements are in progress for the Chinese to hold a rousing reception at Waianae on their New Year. It is proposed to run an excursion to Waianae, with such inducements that will result in large numbers of Chinamen making the trip. The excursionists will carry fire crackers, bombs and other combustibles, these will be exploded on the campus in a grove just off the railway line, and it is safe to say residents in the locality will be treated to a bombardment never before heard or witnessed.

The railway company intends spreading itself on the 17th by arranging entertainments at Remond Grove, Pearl City, the Peninsular, Ewa and Waianae. Cheap excursion rates will prevail to all points along the line. Luau with brass and string music followed by dances will be among the features of the day and evening.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

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New Year.

Leap Year.

The race track is flooded.

"Opium" Brown is in town.

Dance on the Bennington this evening.

Advertised letter list in another column.

Band concert at Hawaiian Hotel this evening.

Hawanan Annual for 1896 is ready for delivery.

Prof. Stoeckle left for the Colonies by the Miowera.

The New Year was ushered in with propitious weather.

Bo's Ben was run over by a hack yesterday and badly bruised.

Kerr received a large consignment of new goods by the Miowera.

A stereopticon entertainment was given at St Louis College last evening.

Hearts and Mailes will play baseball on Saturday. A good game is anticipated.

E. D. Baldwin has been appointed sub-agent of public lands for Hilo and Puna.

The Bennington will receive the U. S. S. Olympia officers this evening aboard their ship.

The Warrimoo took away 17 crates of pineapples, 45 barrels of molasses and 50 sacks of coffee.

The Catholic Benevolent Society will meet in the convent at 3 p. m. today for the election of officers.

No. 91 won the silk kimono given away by Iwakami. Mrs. Lillie Nicoll is the fortunate one.

The holder of ticket No. 827 is entitled to a fine embroidered jacket at Iwakami's, Hotel street.

A. S. Humphreys now occupies the office on Kaahumana street, formerly used by L. A. Thurston.

The boat boys gave a grand luau at the landing New Year's eve. The affair was greatly enjoyed.

James Holeao, in the employ of Hustace &amp; Co., held ticket No. 3656 and is entitled to the bicycle offered by Egan. He chose the Columbia wheel.

Harry Ingram and Archie McLeod, snare drummer and clarinetist for the Hawaiian Band, arrived by the Miowera and played with the band on New Year's.

Teachers' examination promptly at 9 a. m. today in the wooden building of Fort Street school. Professor Alexander of the Board of Education will be present.

The cook of the Miowera, it is reported, died on the voyage down from injuries sustained by falling down one of the companion ways. He was buried at sea the next day.

Willard E. Brown, late book-keeper and cashier of the Hawaiian Gazette Company, has accepted a position with the Hawaiian Safe Deposit and Investment Company.

Messrs J. C. Cook and James Wakefield, both of the firm of T. H. Davies &amp; Co., sailed for Vancouver on the Warrimoo last night. They are off on a vacation to the Coast and will combine business with pleasure.

George W. Irvine, a wealthy mine owner and prominent citizen of Montana, is spending some time in the city. He is the guest of Dr. C. B. Cooper, who is an old friend and former resident of Montana.

The interior of Oahu prison was tastefully decorated with greens and flowers. The words, "Happy New Year," formed of choice flowers interwoven, occupied a prominent position just inside the front entrance.

Prof Cook's music school is prospering beyond expectation. Thirty years of active experience in piano, voice and harmony enables the teacher to economize the time of the pupil. His school is in the Waring block.

The Richelieu did a rushing business last evening. The large dining rooms were constantly filled during the evening. Many had to take turns in being served. The dinner was an excellent one. A dance followed the repast.

Fort street at the turn of Queen was blocked yesterday by laborers repairing the street car track. Only four men were employed, and in consequence of their slow work, traffic was seriously interrupted nearly the entire day.

The Mounted Reserve drilled on the old baseball grounds last night. They passed in review before Attorney-General Smith. The members were entertained with light refreshments by Captain A. W. Carter after the drill.

Miss Eva Parker has been very dangerously ill. Her friends will be glad to know that she is improving.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra intend giving a concert of chamber music shortly. This will be a real musical treat.

Stockholders of the Hawaiian Gazette Co., Ltd. have elected W. W. Chamberlain secretary and C. G. Ballentyne treasurer.

The Warrimoo brought a large consignment of Australian butter from Melbourne. It was consigned to Theo. H. Davies & Co., Ltd.

C. B. Gray, of the Union Feed Company, received as a New Year present a bouncing boy of nine pounds. He is a happy father.

Hopp & Co., the live furniture dealers have a change of advertisement in this issue. Read it and save money by buying goods from them.

One truck from each of the two prominent feed stores of the city were halted last night and the drivers arrested for being on the streets without lights.

The match race between two Marine colts belonging to local horseman is announced for next Wednesday. A larger crowd would be attracted if the following Saturday was decided on. The owners should remember that Saturday is a half-holiday for a great many people.

## THE WORLD RUNS AWAY FROM US.

"See other day we had a talk with a man who knew as little of the world around him as a baby. Yet he was a man of naturally fine intelligence. He had just been relieved from prison. Ten years ago he was incarcerated under a life sentence. Recently, however, circumstances had arisen which proved his innocence, and he obtained his freedom. But nothing seemed as before. He had been stationary while the world moved on. Many of his old friends were dead, and all were changed. A big slice of his career was lost, and worse than lost. Could he ever make it up? No, never. Besides, although he had committed no offense, the mere fact that he had been convicted of one, would always place him at a disadvantage."

Different as it is in all outward conditions long illness produces results which resemble those of enforced solitude. When confined to our homes by disease we are virtually out of the world. Friends may, and do, pity us; but they do not live down by our side and suffer with us. And no. They go their own ways and leave us alone in the midst of company we are still alone. Enjoyment, food, sleep, fresh air, movement, work, etc.—these are for them, not for us. Alas for the poor prisoner whose jailer is some relentless disease. Who shall open the prison doors and set him free?

"I never had any rest or pleasure." So writes a man whose letter we have just finished reading. "In the early part of 1888," he says, "a strange feeling came over me. I felt heavy, drowsy, languid, and tired. Something appeared to be wrong with me, and I couldn't account for it. I had a foul taste in the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did eat lay on me like a stone. Soon I became afraid to eat, as the act was always followed by pain and distress. Sometimes I had a sensation of choking in the throat as if I could not swallow. I was swollen, too, around the body, and got about with difficulty owing to increasing weakness."

"At the pit of my stomach was a hungry, craving sensation, as though I needed something to eat, yet the little I took did not abate this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke in the morning unrefreshed. For four weeks I continued in this wretched state before I found relief."

This letter is signed by Mr. Charles H. Smith, of 19, New City Road, Glasgow, and dated February 18th, 1893.

Before we read how he was at last delivered from the slavery of illness, let us listen to the words of a lady on the same theme: Mrs. Mary Ann Rustling, of Station Road, Milserton, near Gainsborough. In a brief note dated January 8th, 1893, Mrs. Rustling says she suffered in a similar way for over fifteen years. Her hands and feet were cold and clammy, she was pale and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and palpitation, and her breathing was short and hurried. No medicines availed to help her until two years ago. "At that time," she says, "our minister, the late Rev. Mr. Watson, told me of Mother Selig's Curative Syrup, and urged me to make a trial of it. I did so, and presently felt great relief. It was not long before the bad symptoms all left me, and I gradually got strong. I keep in good health, and have pleasure in making known to others the remedy which did so much for me."

Mr. Smith was completely cured by the same remedy, and says he had known of it sooner he would have been saved years of misery.

The real ailment in both these cases was indigestion and dyspepsia, with its natural consequences. Throughout the civilized world its course is marked by a hundred forms of pain and suffering. Men and women are torn to pieces by it as vessels are by the rocks on which they are driven by tempests. So comprehensive and all-encompassing is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It signifies life transformed into death, bread turned into poison. Watch for its earliest signs—especially the feeling of weariness, languor and fatigue, which announce its approach. Prevention is better than cure.

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## Kindergarten Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Association will be held in Queen Emma Hall at 11 a. m. Friday, Jan. 3, 1896.

At 10:30 the various committees are requested to meet at the same place.

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## ADDITIONS TO LIBRARY.

Large List of New Books Recently Received at Rooms.

Following is the list of new books received at the Honolulu Library and Reading Room Association:

Gustave Flaubert, by John Charles Tarver.  
Constantinople, by F. Marion Crawford.

Cruising Among the Caribbees, by Charles Augustus Stoddard.  
Washington in Lincoln's Time, by Noaly Brooks.

Travels With a Donkey in the Ceveques, by E. L. Stevenson.  
Miscellaneous Studies, by Walter Pater.

A Literary History of the English People, by J. J. Jusserand.  
Little Rivers, by Henry van Dyke.

The Art of Living, by Robert Grant.  
The Positive Theory of Capital, by Eugen V. Boehm-Bawerk.

Capital and Interest, by Eugen V. Boehm-Bawerk.  
The Wages Question, by Francis A. Walker.

A Victorian Anthology, by Edmund Clarence Stedman.  
The Foundations of Belief, by Arthur James Balfour.

Luxury, by Emile de Laveleye.  
The History of Pedagogy, by Gabriel Compayre.

The Ruling Principle of Method Applied to Education, by Antonio Rosmini Serbelli.  
The Essentials of Method, by Charles de Garmo.

Waymarks for Teachers, by Sarah L. Arnold.  
Systematic Science Teaching, by Edward Gardiner Howe.

A Study of Child Nature, by Elizabeth Harrison.  
Municipal Reform Movements in the United States, by William Howe Holman.

Individualism, a System of Politics, by Wordsworth Donisthorpe.  
Trusts, or Industrial Combinations and Coalitions, by Ernst von Halle.

Methods of Industrial Remuneration, by David F. Schloss.  
Star Land, by Sir Robert Stawell Ball.

The Story of the Stars, by George F. Chambers.  
Evolution and Disease, by J. Bland Sutton.

Bacteria and Their Products, by German Sims Woodhead.  
The Origin of the Aryans, by Isaac Taylor.

Gustavus Adolphus, a History of the Art of War, by Theodore Ayrault Dodge.  
English Seamen in the 16th Century, by George W. E. Russell.

Lord John Russell, by Stuart J. Reed.  
The Life and Work of the Seventh Earl of Shaftesbury, by Edwin Hodder.

Recollections of War Times, by Albert Gallatin Riddle.  
American Diplomacy, by Eugene Schuyler.

Electricity for Everybody, by Philip Atkins.  
Slog-Land Studies, by Jané Barlow.

Side Talks with Girls, by Ruth Ashmore.  
Coffee, by Joseph M. Walsh.

Hans Brettmann in Germany, by Charles G. Leland.  
A Wedding and Other Stories, by Julien Gourdou.

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Without the 150 mentioned there are at present 297 members in the American League. Five applications for membership were read last night. At the next meeting the business of the evening will be confined to consideration of the finances of the league in order to square up all accounts and make a new start this year.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowles, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances: "Last winter I had a grippie which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 per bottle by all druggists and dealers. BENSON, SMITH & Co. agents for H. I.

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Butcher, D	Benson, W H
Bray, A	Burke
Butterfield, J K	Becker, A
Bartholomew, W W	
Cooper, H F	Crölins, J
Cooper, Mr	Crockett, A W
Crossman, W H	Culstein, F H
Clifford, R	Cooper, F R
Drew, Mr	
Donald, P M	Dunn, Wm
Davis, E	Dolmann, M H
Donnell, Purdy & Dower	
Ericksen, G	Ericksen, E
Faber, A	Edmond, A (2)
Finsen, O	Edmond, C O (2)
Ekman, A	
Freeman, Capt	Fullerton, A H (2)
Fox, T	
Gandersbergan, M	Grigg, Mr
Gray, J (2)	Gulick, F A
Gale, C E	
Hoppper, K	Halstad, Mr
Hitchcock, W M	Higgins, P
Hart, F	Hamilton, C H
Hutchinson	Heikinen, G W
Harlow, O H (2)	Holt, J E
Hitchcock, C	Heller, A A
Horan, E A	Hyde, J
Holstein, E	
Jacobsen, V (2)	Johnson, C
Johnson, B	Johnson, P A
Johnson, C	
Kramer, G	Keane, Mr
Levey, S J (2)	Levey, L J
Lundy, Dr	Lewis, G W
Lowe, J	Levy, P
Lee, B	Larsson, E
Lean, C	Lee, E
Lewis, R P	Low, J R
Lee, F	
Mouniedaz, D O (2)	Moss, J
Miller, J W	Mitchell, L
Maby, W	Marks, J
Muller, G	Morek & Co, T
Martin, C S	McLain, A W
McLean, Mr	McLain, J
McDonald, P	McKay, Mr
McCavellase, J	Mateneze, J A
McL in, J H	
Norton, G. W.	
Osman, C.	
Pitt, S.	Perry, W. (2)
Pelky, J. A.	Parker, J. B.
Powell, Mr.	Phillips, Esq
Piant, L.	Prescott, Rev.
Purduff, H.	Printer, Government
Peterson, C.	
Rand, K.	Rosster, J. A.
Rueysky, D. S.	Rook, Mr.
Roe, J.	Rochford, T. P.
Roberts, W. (2)	Riblike, J. T.
Robertson, J.	Reid B. A.
Reid, L.	Richardson, V.
Rathke, H.	
Scott, M. F	Sanstrom, A. E. (2)
Smith, A.	Seabrawn, Mr
Smith W.	Sheba, S.
Smith J. W (2)	Sanborn, C. I.
Smith, Geo. E.	Sawyer, G.
Sheridan, J.	Smith, T.
Shanchnese, P.	Smith, C. H.
Stahl, R. H.	
Turner, Mr	Tietjen, G.
Van Gesion, J. H. (3)	Vogel, A.
Wilde, Esq.	Westfall, G.
Wertherme, M.	Weldley, H.
Wagner, J.	Whitney, W. H.
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Andrews Mrs	
Bali W Mrs	Bader, E Mrs
Blanch Mrs	Blaisdell, M Mrs
Cook J Mrs	Center, R Mrs
Christian, Miss (2)	Christian, C Miss
Christian, A Miss	Chapman, L Mrs
Christan, A Miss	Carson, Mrs
Davis I Miss (2)	
Ericksen, G Mrs	
Higgins, A Mrs	Hildebrand, H Mrs
Hemeritta, F Miss	Hugo, Mrs
Hickey, Mrs	Hitchcock, W Mrs
Hickey, J Mrs	
Kimball, B Miss	Kirkland, J Mrs
Leach, Mrs	Lindey, J Miss
McDougall	Maed, Mrs
McGurn, M Mrs	Marshall, Miss
McCurry, Flora	Mathews, Miss
Pitterson, N Mrs	
Rutherford, F Miss	Requa, C G (2)
Sumner, Miss	Shaw, A Mrs
Seymour, E H Miss	
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White, Mrs	Wicander, F Mrs
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JOS. M. OAT.	
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SEMI-WEEKLY.

ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

W. R. FARRINGTON, EDITOR.

FRIDAY JANUARY 3, 1896.

The appointment of Mr. Alfred Carter to the Circuit Court seems to have been definitely decided upon. Mr. Perry will probably go to the Circuit Court also, and Judge Whiting to the Supreme bench. Mr. Carter and Mr. Perry are Hawaiian born and educated in part in this country, and we are glad to see their advancement.

The carpenter bee has done thousands of dollars worth of damage to the houses all over the islands. Any one who will supply some method for getting rid of the pest or at least diminishing its numbers will confer a boon on the community. Several suggestions have been made, but the present one which Mr. Marsden now puts forward is simple and from the specimens of defective "Carpenters" submitted to us, eminently efficacious. Mr. Marsden's account of "how to do it," appears in another column.

The runaway tram on Nuuanu Avenue, New Year's day, should act as a warning to the Tramway Company. It was fortunate that no lives were lost, but we shall not get through all accidents as easily. The cars should be provided with independent brakes. The brakes in use go to the same bar. As long as only the chain of one brake gives way the other brake will act, and an accident can be avoided, but if the bar gives way, then both brakes are useless—this was what occurred on New Year's day. It would also be well that the brakes should be examined by a government inspector. It is a matter of life and limb to our citizens and they should be protected as efficiently as possible. Our remarks are not intended to carp at the Tramway Company, but it is clearly the duty of the press to issue a word of warning and perhaps save a very serious accident in the future.

## THE Y. M. C. A.

In an unobtrusive way the Young Men's Christian Association is doing a great deal of good work. The objective point of the secretary seems to be to give healthy amusement to those who are willing to have it, without regard to creed or religious faith. The membership of the institution is 419, but a number avail themselves of its advantages who are not members.

The reading room is naturally a great attraction, there are 1023 books now, and the number is constantly increasing. Then there is a good selection of papers and magazines, which enables the readers to keep up with the current literature of the day. The fact that the average daily attendance in the reading room is 163, shows that the advantages are appreciated.

The educational classes are a comparatively new departure, and the two which have been commenced count 93 pupils. This is the kind of work done in Mechanic Institutes in England. Many a young man has laid the foundation of his future success in life by attending such classes.

But the gymnasium is probably the greatest attraction. It is a fine building, well equipped and thoroughly adapted to its purpose. The class attendance for the month of November was 1665, showing conclusively that it fills a want in the community and that the community responds. The cost of erecting the gymnasium and making necessary alterations in the building was \$18,500, of this \$3000 remain to be paid. The debt is a small one and will be easily wiped out.

In another direction the Y. M. C. A. proposes to cater to healthy amusement. Commencing January 4th, a course of eight lectures has been arranged to run through the months of January and February.

The subjects are all secular and quite varied, ranging from California, through Tennyson to ancient, medieval and modern surgery. This is a decided step in the right direction. We need the mental stimulus of the lecture. The platform disseminates ideas, it makes men and women think of other things besides mere business and private pleasures or griefs. In this, as in all that it does, the Y. M. C. A. is fulfilling its mission and is vindicating its right to public support. Of course there is a religious side, but it is upon the secular side that we have dwelt. There it certainly works upon the broad platform of doing good and elevating all who take advantage of the opportunity offered. Honolulu would be hard put to it if it had to do without its Y. M. C. A. organization, and especially its hard working secretary.

The list of new books for the library which we publish today shows how well the committee on selection work. They cater to the tastes of the young and the old, the scientific and the omnivorous reader of fiction. The names of the authors are a good guide. There is evidently a literary feast before a good many of us.

We are requested by the Foreign Office to correct a slight error in the report of the presentation of the diplomatic corps. The name of Mons. Vizzavona, Acting Consul and Commissioner for the French Republic, was placed before that of Mr. H. Shimamura, H. I. J. M.'s Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General.

## MORTUARY REPORT.

The total number of deaths reported for the month of December was 65, distributed as follows:

Under 1 year	11	From 30 to 40	16
From 1 to 5	10	From 40 to 50	6
From 5 to 10	2	From 50 to 60	3
From 10 to 20	1	From 60 to 70	3
From 20 to 30	1	Over 70	4
Males	43	Females	12
Hawaiians	23	Great Britain	4
Chinese	16	United States	4
Portuguese	5	Other nationalities	3
Japanese	3		
Total	65		
Unattended	14		
Non-Residents	2		

COMPARATIVE MONTHLY MORTALITY.

Dec., 1891	54	Dec., 1894	75
Dec., 1892	56	Dec., 1895	65
Dec., 1893	55		

CAUSE OF DEATH.			
Aneurism	1	Heart disease	2
Bronchitis	3	Influenza	4
Beriberi	2	Inanition	1
Consumption	8	Internal injuries	1
Convulsions	1	Opium	1
Cancer	1	Old age	5
Concussion of brain	1	Premature birth	1
Dementia	1	Paralysis	1
Dropsy	3	Pneumonia	6
Debility	4	Stricture	1
Elephantiasis	1	Tonsillitis	2
Fever	3	Unknown	1
Fever, Typhoid	1	Womb trouble	1
Gun shot wound	1	Whooping Cough	5
Hemorrhage	2		

DEATHS BY WARD.			
Wards	1	2	3
Deaths	10	8	15
Annual death rate per 1000 for month	27.88		
Asiatics	33.14		
All other nationalities	25.50		

C. B. REYNOLDS  
Agent Board of Health

## CHINESE NEW YEAR.

Preparations Being Made for a Big Day at Waianae.

Arrangements are in progress for the Chinese to hold a rousing reception at Waianae on their New Year. It is proposed to run an excursion to Waianae, with such inducements that will result in large numbers of Chinamen making the trip. The excursionists will carry fire crackers, bombs and other combustibles; these will be exploded on the campus in a grove just off the railway line, and it is safe to say residents in the locality will be treated to a bombardment never before heard or witnessed.

The railway company intends spreading itself on the 17th by arranging entertainments at Remond Grove, Pearl City, the Peninsular, Ewa and Waianae. Cheap excursion rates will prevail to all points along the line. Luau with brass and string music followed by dances will be among the features of the day and evening.

## ONE BOX OF CLARKE'S B41 PILLS

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

1896.

New Year.

Leap Year.

The race track is flooded.

"Opium" Brown is in town.

Dance on the Bennington this evening.

Advertised letter list in another column.

Band concert at Hawaiian Hotel this evening.

Hawaiian Annual for 1896 is ready for delivery.

Prof. Stoeckle left for the Colonies by the Miowera.

The New Year was ushered in with propitious weather.

Bo'sn Ben was run over by a hack yesterday and badly bruised.

Kerr received a large consignment of new goods by the Miowera.

A stereopticon entertainment was given at St. Louis College last evening.

Hearts and Mailles will play baseball on Saturday. A good game is anticipated.

E. D. Baldwin has been appointed sub-agent of public lands for Hilo and Puna.

The Bennington will receive the U. S. S. Olympia officers this evening aboard their ship.

The Warrimoo took away 17 crates of pineapples, 45 barrels of molasses and 50 sacks of coffee.

The Catholic Benevolent Society will meet in the convent at 3 p. m. today for the election of officers.

No. 91 won the silk kimono given away by Iwakami. Mrs. Lillie Nicoll is the fortunate one.

The holder of ticket No. 827 is entitled to a fine embroidered jacket at Iwakami's, Hotel street.

A. S. Humphreys now occupies the office on Kaahumana street, formerly used by L. A. Thurston.

The boat boys gave a grand luau at the landing New Year's eve. The affair was greatly enjoyed.

James Holeao, in the employ of Hustace &amp; Co., held ticket No. 3656 and is entitled to the bicycle offered by Pagan. He chose the Columbia wheel.

Harry Ingram and Archie McLeod, snare drummer and clarinet for the Hawaiian Band, arrived by the Miowera and played with the band on New Year's.

Teachers' examination promptly at 9 a. m. today in the wooden building of Fort Street school. Professor Alexander of the Board of Education will be present.

The cook of the Miowera, it is reported, died on the voyage down from injuries sustained by falling down one of the companion ways. He was buried at sea the next day.

Willard E. Brown, late book-keeper and cashier of the Hawaiian Gazette Company, has accepted a position with the Hawaiian Safe Deposit and Investment Company.

Messrs. J. C. Cook and James Wakefield, both of the firm of T. H. Davies &amp; Co., sailed for Vancouver on the Warrimoo last night. They are off on a vacation to the Coast and will combine business with pleasure.

George W. Irvine, a wealthy mine owner and prominent citizen of Montana, is spending some time in the city. He is the guest of Dr. C. B. Cooper, who is an old friend and former resident of Montana.

The interior of Oahu prison was tastefully decorated with greens and flowers. The words, "Happy New Year," formed of choice flowers interwoven, occupied a prominent position just inside the front entrance.

Prof Cook's music school is prospering beyond expectation. Thirty years of active experience in piano, voice and harmony enables the teacher to economize the time of the pupil. His school is in the Waring block.

The Richelieu did a rushing business last evening. The large dining rooms were constantly filled during the evening. Many had to take turns in being served. The dinner was an excellent one. A dance followed the repast.

Fort street at the turn of Queen was blocked yesterday by laborers repairing the street car track. Only four men were employed, and in consequence of their slow work, traffic was seriously interrupted nearly the entire day.

The Mounted Reserve drilled on the old baseball grounds last night. They passed in review before Attorney-General Smith. The members were entertained with light refreshments by Captain A. W. Carter after the drill.

Miss Eva Parker has been very dangerously ill. Her friends will be glad to know that she is improving.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra intend giving a concert of chamber music shortly. This will be a real musical treat.

Stockholders of the Hawaiian Gazette Co., Ltd., have elected W. W. Chamberlain secretary and C. G. Ballentyne treasurer.

The Warrimoo brought a large consignment of Australian butter from Melbourne. It was consigned to Theo. H. Davies & Co., Ltd.

C. B. Gray, of the Union Feed Company, received as a New Year present a bouncing boy of nine pounds. He is a happy father.

Hopp & Co., the live furniture dealers have a change of advertisement in this issue. Read it and save money by buying goods from them.

One truck from each of the two prominent feed stores of the city were halted last night and the drivers arrested for being on the streets without lights.

The match race between two Marine colts belonging to local horseman is announced for next Wednesday. A larger crowd would be attracted if the following Saturday was decided on. The owners should remember that Saturday is a half-holiday for a great many people.

## THE WORLD RUNS AWAY FROM US.

THE other day we had a talk with a man who knew a little of the world around him as a baby. Yet he was a man of naturally fine intelligence. He had just been relieved from prison. Ten years ago he was incarcerated under a life sentence. Recently, however, circumstances had arisen which secured his release, and he obtained his freedom. But nothing seemed as before. He had been stationary while the world moved on. Many of his old friends were dead, and all were changed. A big slice of his career was lost, and worse than lost. He could never make it up. No, never. Besides, although he had committed no offense, the mere fact that he had been convicted of one, would always place him at a disadvantage.

Different as it is in all outward conditions from illness produces results which resemble those of enforced solitude. When confined to our homes by disease we are virtually out of the world. Friends may, and do, pity us; but they do not live down by our side and suffer with us. Ah! no. They go their own ways and leave us alone. In the midst of company we are still alone. Employment, food, sleep, fresh air, movement, work, and those are for them, not for us. Alas! for the poor prisoner whose jailer is some relentless disease. Who shall open the iron doors and set him free?

"I never had any rest or pleasure," so writes a man whose letter we have just finished reading. "In the early part of 1883," he says, "a strange feeling came over me. I felt heavy, drowsy, languid, and tired. Something appeared to be wrong with me, and I could not account for it. I had a faint taste in the mouth, my appetite failed, and I could not lay on my back a stone. Soon I became afraid to eat, as the act was always followed by pain and distress. Sometimes I had a sensation of choking in the throat as if I could not swallow. I was swollen, too, around the body, and got about with difficulty before I found relief."

"At the pit of my stomach was a hungry, craving sensation, as though I needed support from food; yet the little I took did not abate this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke in the morning unrefreshed. For four years I continued in this wretched state before I found relief."

This letter is signed by Mr. Charles H. Smith, of 19, New City Road, Glasgow, and dated February 12th, 1883. Before we hear how he was at last delivered from the slavery of illness, let us listen to the story of a lady on the same theme. "Mrs. Mary Ann Rensing, of Station Road, Minton, near Gainsborough, in a brief note dated January 8th, 1883, Mrs. Rensing says she suffered in a similar way for over fifteen years. Her hands and feet were cold and clammy, she was pale and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and pigmentation, and her breathing was short and hurried. No medicines availed to help her until two years ago. "At that time," she says, "our minister, the late Rev. Mr. Watson, told me of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and made me make a trial of it. I did so, and presently felt great relief. It was not long before the bad symptoms all left me, and I gradually got strong. I keep in good health, and have pleasure in making known to others the remedy which did so much for me."

Mr. Smith was completely cured by the same remedy, and says he had known of it sooner he would have been saved years of misery.

The real ailment in both these cases was indigestion and dyspepsia, with its natural consequences. Throughout the civilized world its course is marked by a hundred forms of pain and suffering. Men and women are torn to pieces by it as vessels are by the rocks on which they are driven by tempests. So comprehensive and all-embracing is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It breeds and transforms into death, bread turned into poison. Watch for its earliest signs—especially the feeling of weariness, languor and fatigue, which announce its approach. Prevention is better than cure.

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## Kindergarten Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Free Kindergarten and Children's Aid Association will be held in Queen Emma Hall at 11 a. m. Friday, Jan. 3, 1896.

At 10:30 the various committees are requested to meet at the same place.

MARGARET L. HOPPER,  
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It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In many instances the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all druggists and dealers. BENSON, SMITH & Co. agents for H. I.

## ADDITIONS TO LIBRARY.

Large List of New Books Recently Received at Rooms.

Following is the list of new books received at the Honolulu Library and Reading Room Association:

Gustave Flaubert, by John Charles Tarter.  
Constantinople, by F. Marion Crawford.  
Cruising Among the Caribbees, by Charles Augustus Stoddard.  
Washington in Lincoln's Time, by Noaly Brooks.  
Travels With a Donkey in the Canyons, by R. L. Stevenson.  
Miscellaneous Studies, by Walter Pater.

A Literary History of the English People, by J. J. Jusserand.  
Little Rivers, by Henry van Dyke.  
The Art of Living, by Robert Grant.  
The Positive Theory of Capital, by Eugen V. Boehm-Bawerk.  
Capital and Interest, by Eugen V. Boehm-Bawerk.  
The Wages Question, by Francis A. Walker.

A Victorian Autobiography, by Edmund Clarence Stedman.  
The Foundations of Belief, by Arthur James Balfour.  
Luxury, by Emile de Laveleye.  
The History of Pedagogy, by Gabriel Compayse.

The Ruling Principle of Method Applied to Education, by Antonio Rosmini Serbelli.  
The Essentials of Method, by Charles de Garmo.

Waymarks for Teachers, by Sarah L. Arnold.  
Systematic Science Teaching, by Edward Gardner Howe.

A Study of Child Nature, by Elizabeth Harrison.

Municipal Reform Movements in the United States, by William Howe Holman.

Individualism, a System of Politics, by Wordsworth Donisthorpe.  
Trusts, or Industrial Combinations and Coalitions, by Ernst von Halle.  
Methods of Industrial Remuneration, by David F. Schlosser.

Star Land, by Sir Robert Stawell Ball.

The Story of the Stars, by George F. Chambers.

Evolution and Disease, by J. Bland Sutton.

Bacteria and Their Products, by German Sims Woodhead.

The Origin of the Aryans, by Isaac Taylor.

Gustavus Adolphus, a History of the Art of War, by Theodore Ayrault Dodge.

English Seamen in the 16th Century, by George W. E. Russell.

Lord John Russell, by Stuart J. Reed.

The Life and Work of the Seventh Earl of Shaftesbury, by Edwin Hodder.

Recollections of War Times, by Albert Gallatin Riddle.

American Diplomacy, by Eugene Schuyler.

Electricity for Everybody, by Philip Atkins.

Boys' Land Studies, by Jane Barlow.

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Weeding Out Process in American League Last Night.

A business meeting of the American League was held last night. At that time the weeding out process, before mentioned, was carried into effect with a vengeance, one hundred being dropped from the roll of active members. Fifty more were given one month's time to pay their dues, at the end of which time the names of the delinquents will be published and scattered broadcast for the information of all.

Without the 150 mentioned there are at present 297 members in the American League. Five applications for membership were read last night. At the next meeting the business of the evening will be confined to consideration of the finances of the league in order to square up all accounts and make a new start this year.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Bowls, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances. "Last winter I had a gripe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cent bottles by all druggists and dealers. BENSON, SMITH & Co. agents for H. I.

## LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the General Postoffice up to December 31, 1895.

GENTLEMEN.	
Aldrich, W. B.	Anne, J. C. J. (2)
Berry, H. B.	Barnea, A. B.
Brickwood, C. K. (5)	Bassett, F. (3)
Butcher, D.	Benson, W. H.
Bray, A.	Burke
Butterfield, J. K.	Becker, A.
Bartholomew, W. W.	Croelins, J.
Cooper, H. F.	Crockett, A. W.
Cooper, Mr.	Crostein, M.
Crossman, W. H.	Cooper, F. H.
Clifford, B.	Dunn, Wm.
Drew, M.	D







## A QUIET WEDDING.

Captain Campbell and Miss Kate Keough Married.

Captain C. J. Campbell and Miss Kate Keough were quietly wedded at their home on Beretania street at 7:30 last evening. Rev. Alex. Mackintosh performed the ceremony. The only persons present were Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Sanders and Miss Killeen. The couple received many useful and valuable presents. The bride's mother sent from San Francisco an elegant piano, her brothers a magnificent diamond brooch. The groom is one of the most popular citizens and holds the important position of port superintendent of the Inter-Island Steamship Company. The bride is well known and has a large circle of admiring friends and acquaintances.

Captain Campbell kept open house on New Year and received many callers. During the evening the newly wedded couple received the congratulations of a large number of friends. Refreshments were served. There will be no honeymoon trip.

## SAILORS' HOME SOCIETY.

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers and Trustees.

The annual meeting of the Honolulu Sailors' Home Society was held on the 31st ult., at the room of the Chamber of Commerce.

Treasurer P. C. Jones submitted his annual report, showing receipts from donations to be \$500, and balance on hand \$6324.

The election of six trustees for the ensuing term of three years resulted as follows: P. C. Jones, J. H. Paty, C. M. Cooke, T. R. Walker, R. Lewers, F. A. Schaefer.

After adjournment of the annual meeting of the society, the board of trustees held its annual meeting for the election of officers and the transaction of its regular business. The following officers were duly elected, viz: J. I. Dowsett, president; T. May vice-president; F. A. Schaefer, secretary; T. R. Walker, treasurer. Executive Committee. J. B. Atherion, chairman; J. T. Waterhouse, J. F. Hackfeld.

An unanimous vote of thanks was tendered by the board of trustees to P. C. Jones, the retiring treasurer for his efficient services.

## HIGHEST HONORS GIVEN

To Dr. Price's at the World's Fair. (Chicago Tribune)

For leavening power, keeping qualities, purity and general excellence the World's Fair jury decided that Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder had no equal. On each of its claims it was awarded a first prize or a diploma. All the baking powders entered for prizes were subjected to a most exhaustive examination, and the jury was the best equipped to make the decision of any ever got together. The verdict was supported by the testimony of Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief chemist of the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington. Dr. Wiley is an expert on food products and the highest authority on such matters in America. This verdict settles a long debated question as to which among the many baking powders is the best.

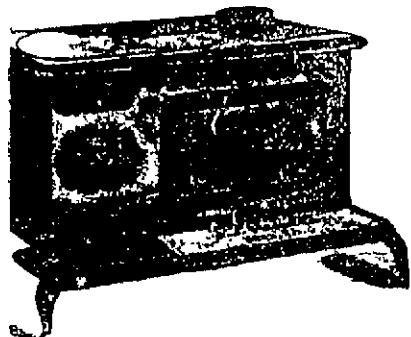
## Street Car Accident.

The car that leaves Nuuanu Valley at 10:50 came to grief yesterday. Shortly before reaching Hall's switch the brake got out of gear and the car became unmanageable. Had it not been for the presence of mind of the driver in detaching the mules, a loss of life would undoubtedly have occurred. The car brought up against Waterhouse's fence. Rev. A. Mackintosh and wife and T. B. Starkey were on the car. The latter had a very narrow escape from a fatal accident. Mr. Pearce should look after the brake on his palace cars. It is not the first time they have proved defective.

## Piano Goes to Wall.

W. E. Wall won the fine New England piano offered by L. B. Kerr. He guessed the pumpkin contained 745 seeds. Mr. H. H. Williams, 744. There were 747 seeds, and Mr. Wall's guess being the nearest to the actual number, he was awarded the piano. A committee of newspaper men counted the seeds.

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Cameron, prominent druggists of Clarendon, Michigan. They say "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we have ever sold, and always gives satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by all druggists and dealers. BENSON SMITH & Co. agents for H. I.

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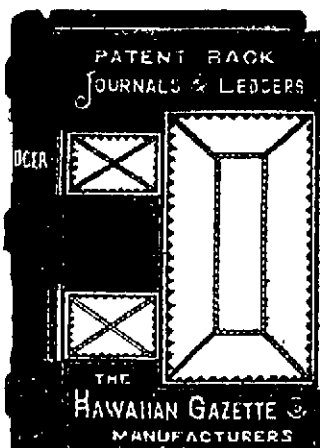
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1-Authorized Capital, £3,000,000

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Paid-up Capital, £87,500 0 6

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3-Life and Annuity Funds, £8,752,525 14 11

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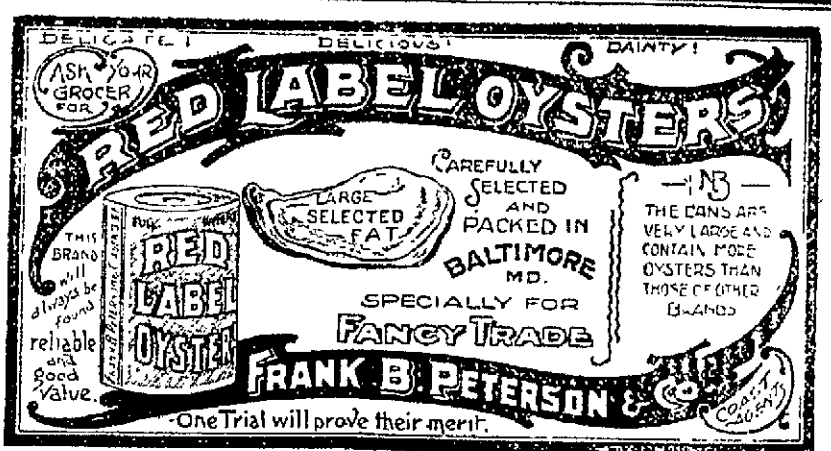
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State Reception Attended by a Large Number of People—Concert at Y. M. C. A.—Records at the Butte—Lei Hima Dance—Tennis Club At Home.

The New Year was celebrated with much enthusiasm in Honolulu. The festive fire cracker made every one aware of the coming in of 1896. The whistles rang out on the midnight air and told of the death of one portion of time and the birth of another. In spite of the enthusiasm there was very little drunkenness and the city was very orderly. The following were the events of the day:

## The State Reception.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the New Year's reception was held in the Council Chamber of the Executive building. President and Mrs. Dole showed that courtesy which is said to be the politeness of all heads of states—they were punctual.

Surrounding the President were the staff of Colonel J. H. Soper, Major George C. Potter, Major C. P. Iaukea, Captain J. W. Pratt, Captain W. A. Kinney, and the following ladies: Mrs. F. R. Day, Mrs. Hugh Gunn, Mrs. C. Bolte, Mrs. C. L. Wight, Mrs. H. F. Wichman, Mrs. W. A. Kinney, Mrs. J. A. Gilman, Mrs. H. W. Peck, Mrs. George R. Carter, Mrs. C. P. Iaukea, Mrs. J. H. Soper, Mrs. Alice D. Larnach, Mrs. J. W. Pratt, Mrs. A. W. Corbett, Mrs. F. S. Dodge, Mrs. S. Mahelona, Misses Bates, May Atkinson, Widemann, Clara Low, Burbank, Clymer, Millard, Carrie Along, Madeline Hartwell, Fannie May, Carrie Castle, Hennigan and Clara Fuller. This made a brilliant galaxy of beauty and pretty costumes, with handsome uniforms and simple citizen's dress to set it off.

The following were presented: Cabinet Ministers—J. A. King, S. M. Damon and W. O. Smith.

Diplomatic corps.—United States: Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, His Ex. Albert S. Willis; Ellis Mills, Secretary of Legation; Portugal: Charge d'Affaires and Consul-General, Senhor A. de Souza Canavaro; Great Britain: Commissioner and Consul-General, A. G. S. Hawes; France: Consul and Commissioner, M. A. Vizzavona; Chancellor; Japan: Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General, H. Shimamura.

Justice Frear, President of Senate W. C. Wilder, Senators Henry Waterhouse, John Wright, John McCandless, H. W. Schmidt; H. W. Peck, Chaplain; Speaker D. L. Noone, E. C. Winston; Councillors G. W. Smith, Mark P. Robinson, P. C. Jones, J. A. Kennedy, T. B. Murray.

The Consular Corps.—W. Porter Boyd, U. S. Vice and Deputy Consul-General; Italy, F. A. Schaefer, Consul (Dean of the Consular Corps); Netherlands, J. H. Paty, Consul; Belgium, H. Focke, Consul; Austria-Hungary, J. F. Hackfeld, Consul; Sweden and Norway, Charles Weight, Acting Consul; Denmark, F. W. Macfarlane, Consul; Mexico, H. Renjes, Consul; Chili, Julius Hoting, Consul; Peru, Bruce Cartwright, Consul; Great Britain, T. B. Walker, Vice Consul; Russia, J. F. Hackfeld, Acting Vice Consul; Spain, H. Renjes, Vice Consul; China, Goo Kim Fui, Commercial Agent; Wong Kwai, Assistant Commercial Agent.

Judges J. A. Magoon, Ant. Perry. Officers of the National Guard: Colonel McLean, Major George F. McLeod, Captains Geo. C. Broome, C. B. Cooper, John Good, Gartenburg, Paul Smith, W. G. Ashley, J. M. Camara, Jr., C. W. Ziegler, Lieutenants John Schaefer, L. T. Kenake, M. Costa, F. Rowland, Ed Towse.

Officers of men-of-war in port—Captain B. F. Day, Ensign Everhart, Surgeon Fairholt, of the U.S.S. Baltimore; Captain Pigman, Lieutenant Speyers, Mayo, Paymaster Phillips, of U.S.S. Bennington.

The Marshal, Captain Parker and a detachment of police, and the following citizens:

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E. Rowell, Hannah E. Eastman, Hiram Bligham, Mrs. J. L. Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Atwater, R. C. A. Peterson, T. F. Lauslog, J. K. Smith, Misses M. and L. L. Hartwell, M. F. Maroul, Miss Renwick, Jessie R. Brockie, Mrs. H. C. Coleman, Mrs. H. N. Castle, Mrs. Alice Hutchinson, A. S. Humphreys, Miss Afong, Miss Bessie Afong, Jas. Nott, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Hokau, Wray Taylor, Mrs. Ellis Mills, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atherton, Rev. and Mrs. Birnie, Mrs. J. S. McGrew, T. N. Birnie, Miss May Atkinson, Mrs. H. Gunn, H. W. Howard, A. S. Hartwell, Misses Mabel and Charlotte Hartwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCandless, E. L. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hopper, Rev. T. D. Garvin, Mrs. J. H. Soper, Mrs. J. W. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jay Greene, Mrs. M. E. Field, J. C. Lenhart, J. J. Egan, Martin Smith, J. H. Paty, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hopper.

No reception was held at the American Legation on account of the indisposition of Mrs. Willis.

## Rifle Contest.

The twentieth semi-annual contest of the Hawaiian Rifle Association drew a large crowd to the range all day. W. E. Wall won the Brodie Cup and President's Trophy—making 44 in the first and 93 in the last—for the third time, and they now belong to him.

In the mid-range championship match, 10 rounds at 500 and 600 yards, W. E. Wall scored a total of 93, which is one point less than the record by which he holds the badge.

Second Class Silver Medal, 200 yards—J. D. McVeigh, first, with 44.

H. R. A. Trophy—200 yards, W. E. Wall, 44; 500 yards, W. E. Wall, 48. Total, 95.

E. O. Hall & Son's Sporting Rifle—200 yards, J. L. McLean, 44; 500 yards, same, 48. Total, 92.

All Corners' Match, 200 yards, the following won prizes: F. B. Damon, 48; W. E. Wall, 48; J. L. McLean, 44; P. H. Burnette, 44; D. W. Corbett, 44; S. Johnson, 43; E. O. White, 43; J. Gouvar, 43; J. S. Martin, 43; C. H. Everett, 42; J. Marsden, 42.

Military match—200 yards; second prizes—J. S. Martin 23, S. Johnson 23.

In the Citizens Match, 200 yards, the following won prizes: L. A. Moore 23, W. J. Forbes 23, J. D. McVeigh 23, P. H. Burnette 22, J. S. Martin 22, C. B. Reynolds 22, S. Johnson 22, J. Gouvar 22, C. H. Everett 22, E. Olsen 21, A. Buchanan 21, J. B. Camara 21, A. B. Wood 21, J. G. Gibson 21, W. Johnson 21, T. E. Wall 21, N. B. Emerson 21, J. A. Johnson 21, W. C. King 21, E. S. Young 21, T. P. Severin 21, H. D. Johnson 20, J. Grace 20, G. W. R. King 20, Otto Oss 20, W. T. Schmidt 20, H. Giles 20, J. R. Park 20, L. A. Johnson 20, McKinnon 20, D. Crozier 20, T. King 20, C. H. Atherton 19, W. E. Barrie 19, W. C. Weedon 19, W. A. Wall 19, H. Lewis 19, J. McClellan 19.

## Prisoners Pardoned.

Charles T. Gulick, W. T. Seward, John F. Bowler, Robert W. Wilcox, John H. Wise, Joseph Clarke, J. W. Biplane and John Lilikoi, the remaining political prisoners, were pardoned and released at 10 o'clock New Year's morning, this course having been decided on at a special meeting of the Council of State on the morning of Dec. 31st. Petitions from all the parties expressed deep regret for the part taken in the late revolution and promised fealty to the Republic.

At 9:30 the eight prisoners were called up and heard their pardons read with great interest. There were no outsiders present, though some had been invited. The Government was represented by Minister Damon, Attorney-General W. O. Smith, and Judge J. A. Magoon for the Board of Prison Inspectors. The Attorney-General read the pardons and made a few remarks in kind tones, which were replied to by Major Seward with sentiments of regard for clemency extended by the Government. The others showed appreciation by grasping the hands of the officials.

There was a large crowd of natives outside the gates, and when the Hawaiians came out they were greeted with loud cheers.

## Concert at Y. M. C. A.

The New Year's evening entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. was attended by a large audience and was a success in every way. The principal attraction was undoubtedly the first appearance of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra. The organization, consisting of twenty members, played excellently, the greater portion of the audience being taken somewhat by surprise, not expecting such proficiency in the short time it has been at work. Miss McGrew rendered a fine violin solo, Miss Richards sang, Mrs. Thos. Black recited, the Y. H. Institute gave two vocal numbers, and the boys' class of the gymnasium gave dumb bell exercises. The Indian club swinging by David Unaua was good. Quite a handsome sum was realized.

Waianae Excursion.

The break caused by a washout on the O. R. & L. Co. track to Waianae was fortunately repaired in time to admit of the excursion which was thought must be postponed. During the morning various places in the city were telephoned to saying that the excursion would be run. This was taken advantage of by about a hundred Kamehameha boys and as many others, who enjoyed the ride to Waianae and spent a pleasant day.

Pacific Tennis Club.

Thanks to kind friends the Pacific Tennis Club's "At Home" from 2:30 to 6 p. m. resulted in a success most gratifying. Tea and other light refreshments were served. Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. Graham kindly presided. There was a large crowd of prominent people present during the afternoon; these included President Dole, Mrs. A. S. Willis, Miss Kate Field.

Lei Hima Dance.

Independence Park pavilion was simply but tastefully decorated with greens and flags New Year's eve, the occasion of their subscription dance. There was a large crowd present, and all spent a delightful evening. The Kawaihau Club furnished music. There were several songs during the evening, this being a delightful feature of the occasion.

## Timely Topics

"All things in their time and all things in their place." The place we hold is that of a person who is trying to help matters for the benefit of those who use goods that is in our line.

As Shakespeare says: "So hallow'd and so gracious is the time" that we are tempted to mention a few of the items that we consider are in season, viz: all kinds of team collars, best chain harness, best harness and saddle leather, all kinds of breeching rings and harness fittings. These goods are reasonable if ever they are. Something is always bound to get out of order no matter how careful you may be, and you had much better be prepared for an emergency than to be placed in a predicament, when you cannot afford to lose any time. This is not a case of whip! whip! hoorah! but of a whip that will give you value received for money invested and is conceded to be the best representative of the kind in Honolulu, and comprises buckskin lashes, whip lashes and whip stock, for four, six and eight horse team. In fact we are up-to-date in what is wanted by the plantation men for every day use.

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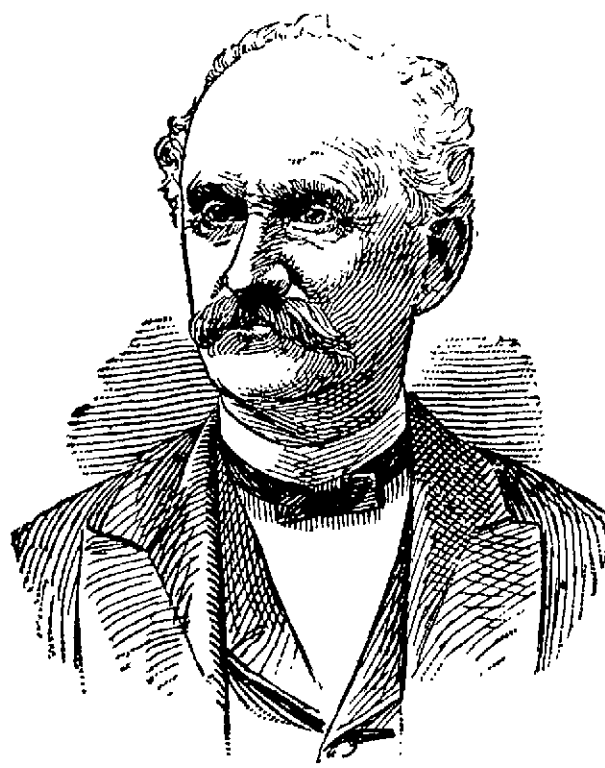
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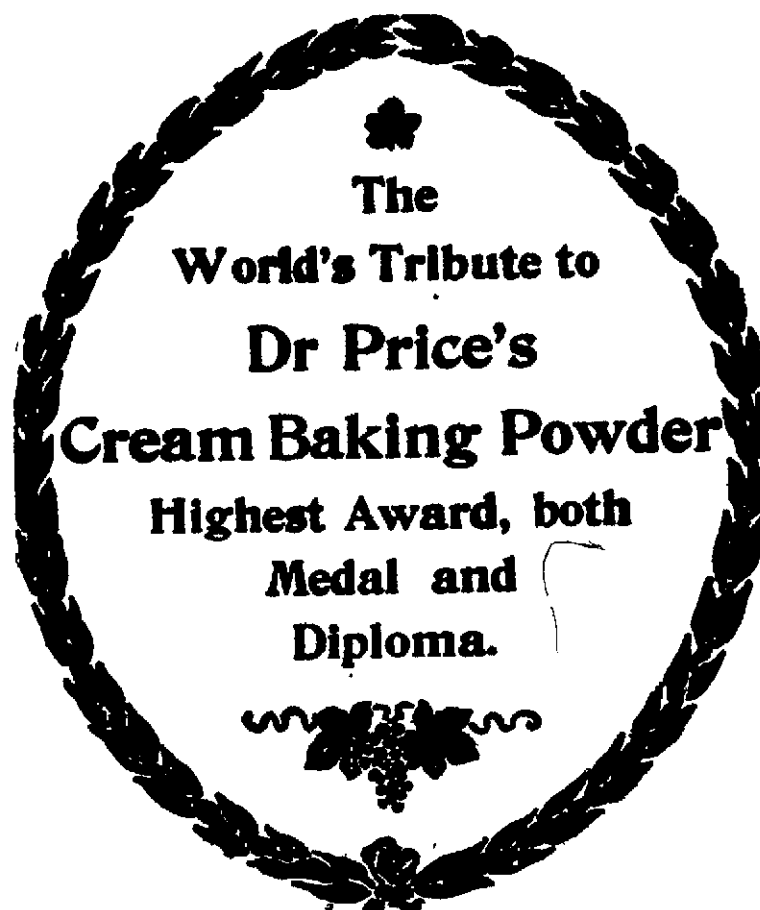
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